

Recent coverage of the Iraq war made it blatantly obvious that access to independent information in this country is already very restricted. Trying to find a radio station not owned by war-booster Clear Channel left few options. To further narrow the scope of news/information by further concentrating ownership of media is to make it impossible for informed democracy to work in this country. Those with money and education have access to sources of news through the internet, but that is not the majority of this country. The difference in information provided by our mainstream media and that available on the Internet was very upsetting. No one is served by restricting information except those who desire to control the population for their own purposes, be they political or commercial.

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